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1939 PRICE LIST OF PRIZE WINNING DAHLIAS H. H. ROBENS

41 HALL AVENUE
CHAGRIN FALLS, OHIO

OUR 1939 INTRODUCTIONS

GOLDEN SPIKE *Robens*

Semi Cactus of pure golden yellow without any other color. It has good stems facing up well out of the foliage. A very free growing and a good bloomer; good size, 7-11 inches and nearly as deep as it is wide. The petals revolute so completely that they form sharp spikes for some distance from the end. Free from insects. Good foliage. Has been in competition three times and won three blue ribbons.

~~10.20~~ Roots \$1.00 plants \$5.00

OHIO ROSE *Robens*

Formal Decorative; a bi-color that is different. One that has the best of stems; blooms facing up or on side and do not droop. A very early bloomer. and continues to bloom until killed by frost. Not large blooms 5-8 inches. Height of plant about 4 feet. Very good foliage and insects do not bother. Does not require staking. A beautiful and unusual color; bright rose at the center and shading to pink or salmon pink on outer petals with white tips should be a winner in F. D. class. We believe it will produce as many blooms in its size range as any thing we have ever grown. Has been entered only once and received a blue ribbon at Great Lake Fxhibition, Cleveland at Ohio Dahlia Society 1936. On Mr. Johnston House Beautiful Honor Roll for 1939.

Roots \$10.00 Plants \$5.00

LADIES' CHOICE *Robens*

Informal Decorative; a bright canary, yellow with white tips or white petals. This is a very beautiful flower but not large. 3-5 inches. Fine for cutting.

Roots \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

PREMIER'S EXQUISITE

(As described at Georgia Test Gardens where it received a Certificate of Merit.) A beautiful incurved pink cactus, blooms, orchid shading to rose pink at center, 7 x 5 in., well developed centers, held on long graceful stems with slight droop, 5 in. to 8 in. above the upper leaves, rich in color tone and distinctively pink; very prolific, plants bearing large number of blooms; plants vigorous, tallest growing in the test, able to withstand adverse seasonal conditions: foliage, dark green, thick and abundant.

Roots \$7.50 Plants \$2. 50

PREMIER'S WINSOME

The most attractive pink I. D. since Kathleen Norris and easy to grow, giving massive blooms in great abundance, will grow naturally to 11 in. x 6 in., stems slender but very strong, resistant to insects and mildew. Scored 85 at A. D. S. testing grounds. Roots \$10.00 net Plants \$5.00

APPLE BLOSSOM *B. and B. Gardens*

Formal Decorative; a winner at a number of shows the past season. The name describes the color. A very good stem; a strong grower and a fine cut flower. Size 4 to 6 in.

Roots \$3.00 net Plants \$2.00 net

Recent and Standard Introductions

Robens 1938

AUTUMN MIST



A large Formal Decorative Bi-color, lovely oyster white with bright purple lines; vigorous in growth; very long strong stems; flowers facing out. One of the largest formals we have ever grown; blooms 9 to 12 inches by 4 to 6 inches in depth; a free bloomer and good keeper.

Roots \$7.50 Plant \$3.75

Those marked C. before root price clumps may be had at twice the price of roots. Clump orders. purchaser must prepay transportation charges. We are not responsible for the keeping of clumps but our clumps are in good condition and if purchaser is not satisfied they may be returned to us collect, if returned at once and we will refund your money. Plants shipped after April 15th.

Abbreviations; F. D.--Formal Decorative D... Informal Decorative S. C. Semi Cactus C.--Cactus B. Ball Min. Minature P. --Pom

RED SUNSET *Robens 1938*

Informal Decorative; very bright vivid Chinese scarlet; long stems and healthy grower. Beautiful foliage. We have never grown so large a red dahlia except Satan.

C. \$10.00 Roots \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

BRONZE SPECIAL *Robens 1938*

Informal Decorative; a cut flower; one that will give an abundance of 4 to 5 inch autumn colored blooms on good stems.

Roots \$1.00

	Plants	Roots	Clumps
American Legion, Large Yellow, I. D.		2.00	
American Purity, White, S. C.		1.50	
Autumn Sunset, Autumn, F. D.			2.00
Aqura, Pink, I. D.		1.00	
Ballego Surprise, Yellow C.		3.00	
Carl G. Dael, Pink, I. D.		5.00	
California Idol, very large; beautiful Yellow I. D.		1.50	
Daisy Sansbury F. D.; Beautiful wax white	1.50		3.00
David Copperfield, Purple light edge beautiful flower F. D.		2.00	
Doria, Red Pom.		1.00	
Dream Girl I. D. Pink		1.00	
Dulcenia, Red C.		15.0	
Frau Ida Mansfield, Deep yellow C.	1.50		
Freckles, Yellow and Red I. D.	2.00		
Freida George, Cream overlaid helio	3.75		
Golden Beauty, Yellow and gold I. D.	3.75		
Golden Standard, Yellow and bronze, S. C.	1.00		
Gretel, Orange flame C.	.50		1.00
Haritage, Lavender and purple I. D.	1.00		
Hi-Speed, French plum I. D	7.50		
Hunts Velvet Wonder, a very large purple C			1.50
Ilia, Red Pom.	1.50		
Incandescent, Gold, Buff and rose I. D.	1.50		
Jean Cowl Bronze buff and gold		.50	
Jean Paturet, Yellow C.	1.50		
Jeremy Dainty, White C.		.50	
Julia Irene, Pink, very good	2.00		
Kathleen Norris, Light rose pink I. D.	.75		
Kemps Violet Wonder, Napthline violet I. D.		.75	
Kemps Monarch, Buff and Henna F. D.		.2.00	
Le Joy, Lavender pink, silver tips, very good D.	3.00		
Land Sanford, Red, very large and prolific bloomer C.	2.00		
Little Surprise, White tipped orchid Pom.		1.50	
Lord of Autumn, Large beautiful yellow I. D.		2.00	
Mad. Geo. Pegant, Red C.	1.50		
Miss Gloria, Yellow and apricot S. C.			1.50
Miss West Virginia, Lavender C.	2.00		
Mrs. R. Kundsen,, White I. D.	5.00		
Mid West, Rose lavender, C.	1.50		
Mrs. ChristeenGrover, Ivory F. D.	.75		
Mrs. Ida Chase. Yellow and pink S. C.		1.00	
Monarch of the East, Autnmn F. D.		4.00	
Mrs. J. Tefford, White Pom.	1.50		
Petunia. Light purple C.	1.00		

Plants	Roots	Clump
Pioneer City Bonfire, Henna I. F.	1.50	
Pink Lady, Pink Pom.	1.00	
Pink Spiralt Pink C.	1.00	
Premier Majestic, Salmon gold and Mulberry I. F.	7.50	
Purple Mist Purple, F. D.	1.50	
Red Favorite, Bright red C.	.50	
Red Menace, Dark red I. D.	5.00	
Red Salute, Dark Red F. D.	5.00	
Rosemary's Beauty, Autumn S. C.	5.00	
Roemary, Rose pink F. D.	5.00	
Rockley, Dictator, Red S. C.	5.00	
Royal Black, very dark red, nearly black S. C.	1.00	
Royal Purchase, Yellow with bronze shades S. C.	2.00	
Royal Robe; Purple, Jane Cowl, I. D.		1.00
Robert L. Ripley Light purple; very large and beautiful flower I. F.	5.00	
Rudolf's Giant, Autumn shades I. D.	2.50	
Sabel, Deep flame pink Min.	1.50	
Severmis Triumph, Fine pink F. D.	.50	
Sleepy Hollow, Pink C.		7.50
Souvenir, Pink I. D.	5 .00	
Son of Satan, Bright red; v ry large C.	3.00	
Spinning Wheel, Red and white a novelty bi-color		
	1.00	
Straight White, White I. D.	7.50	
Sunrays, Buff and apricot I. D.	10.00	
Tom Workman, very large; red and yellow edge. A winner in the F. D. class	3.00	A
Wolverine Gem Min. Bi-color	1.00	
Yown-Matsuoka, Crimson C.		3.00
Katie K. Fine peach I. D.		5.00
Koki, Bright red, Chrome tips C.		3.00

All roots guaranteed, after April 1st. to be true to name and healthy and will be replaced if they do not grow three weeks after planting time, if returned to us.

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12 Roots all labeled, to average one dollar a piece or more 9.00

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